

West Virginia's Economic Outlook

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Let's Not Bury the Lead...

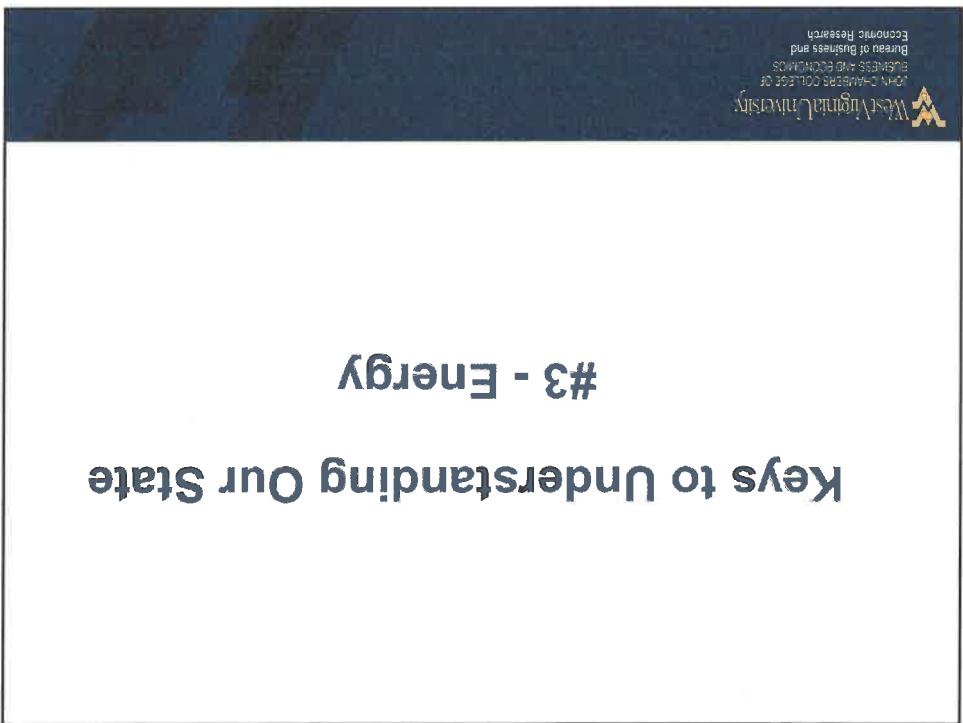
- We still have reasons to be positive!
 - Jobs, GDP, Tax Revenue
- But improvement is not happening everywhere
- Many challenges remain
 - Human Capital
- Uncertainty
 - Pipeline construction? Petrochemicals manufacturing?
- Volatility
 - Coal exports

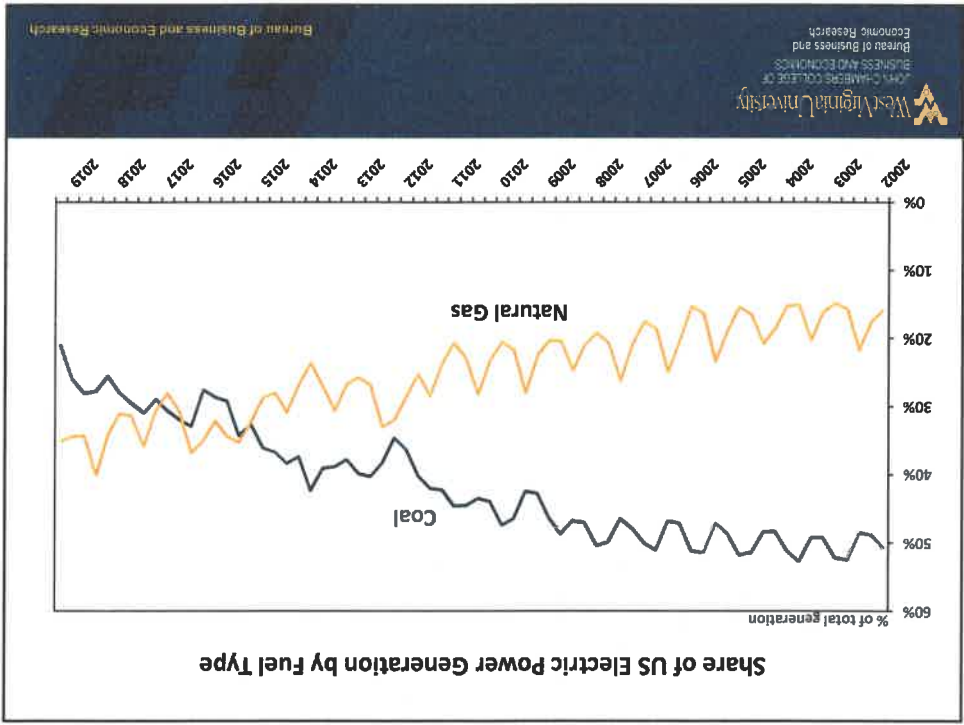
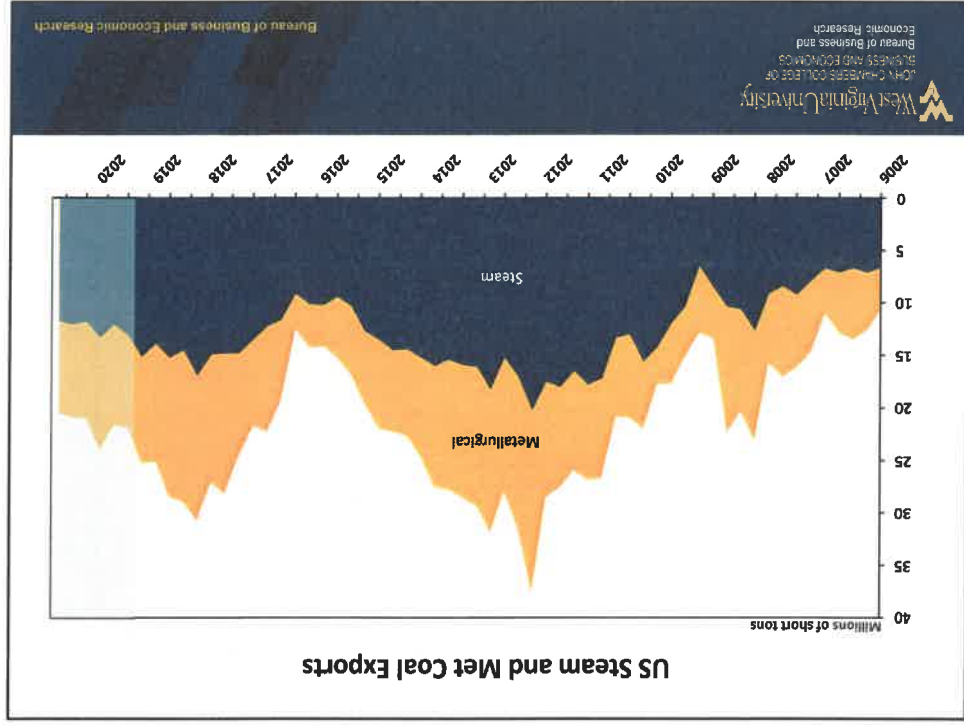
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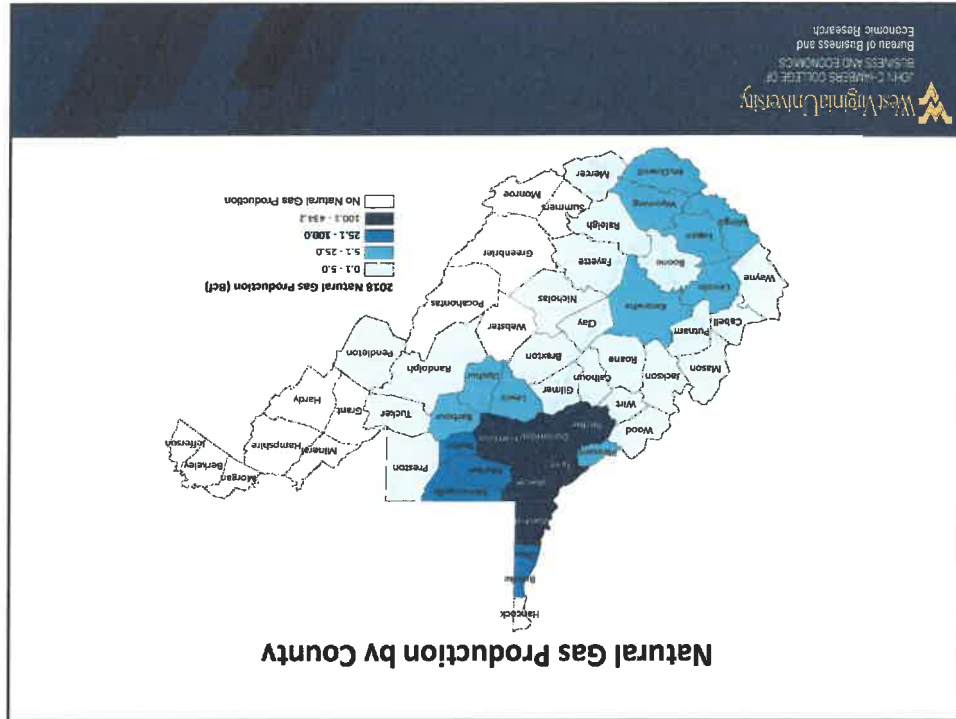
#2 – Where is the Growth?

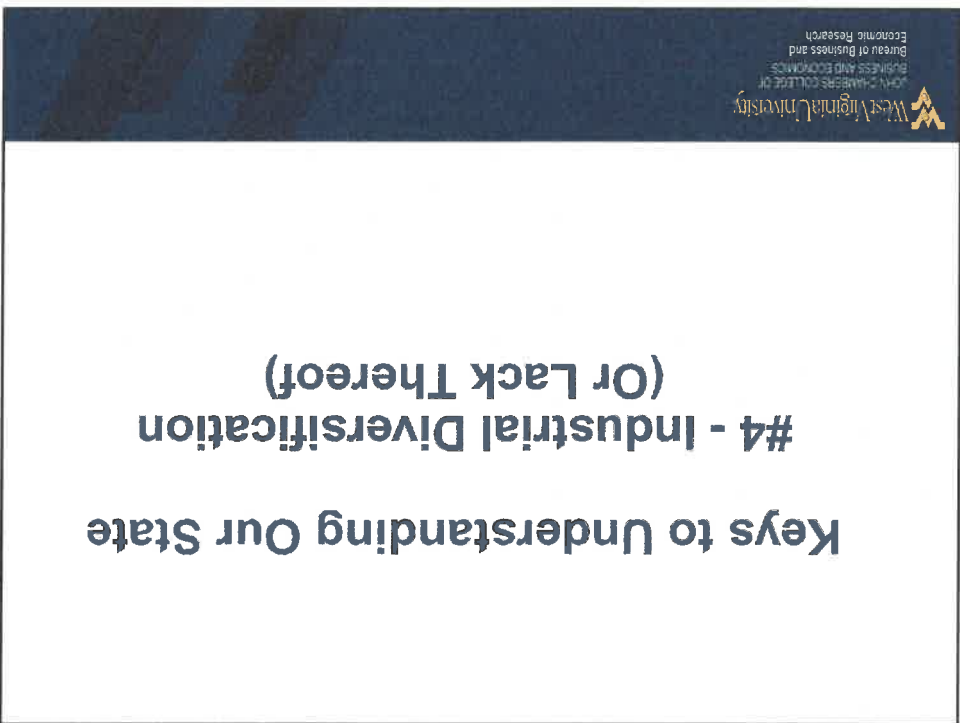
Some 2019 Wins...

- 1,500+ Jobs Created Through WV Development Office
- Northrop Grumman, 583 new jobs, Mineral
- Hino Motors, 250 jobs, Wood
- Randox Laboratories, 125 jobs, Jefferson
- Toyota Motor Manufacturing, 123 jobs, Putnam
- Blue Sky, 100 jobs, Kanawha



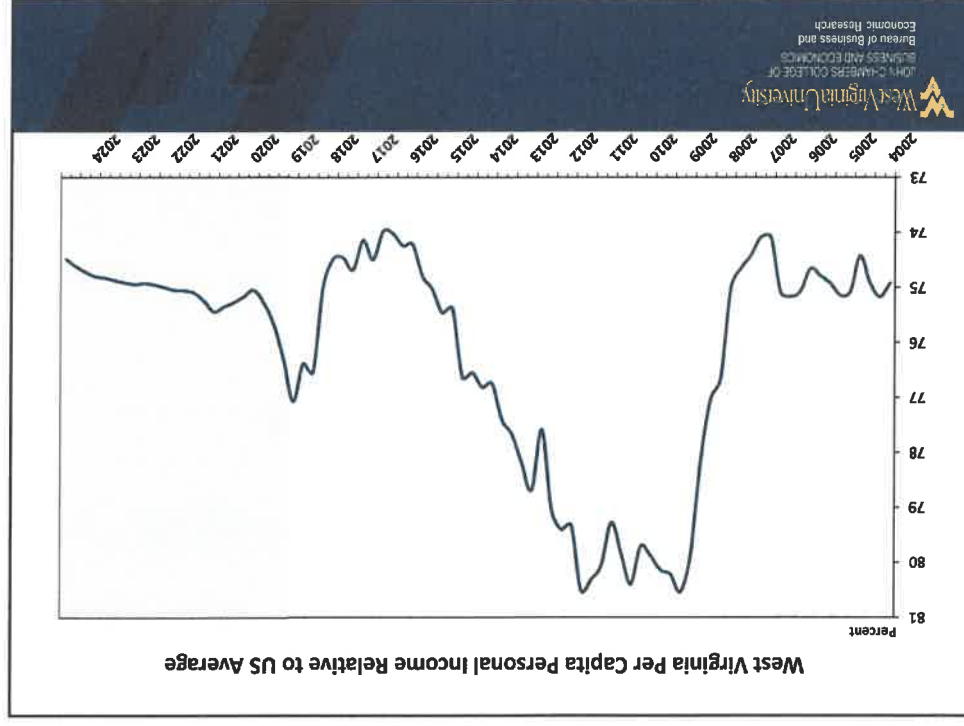


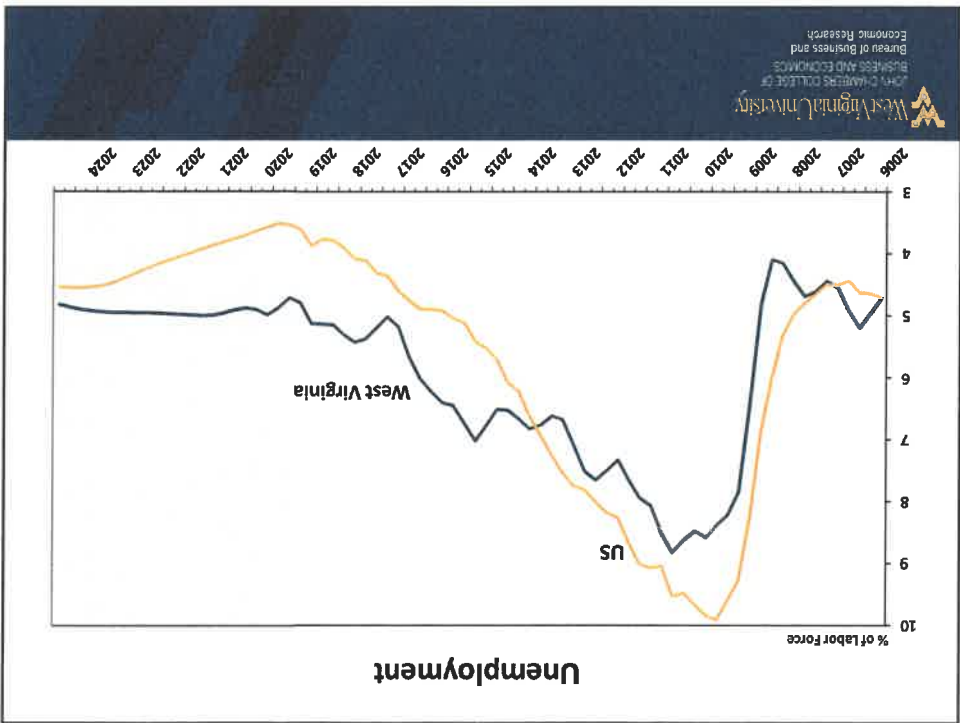
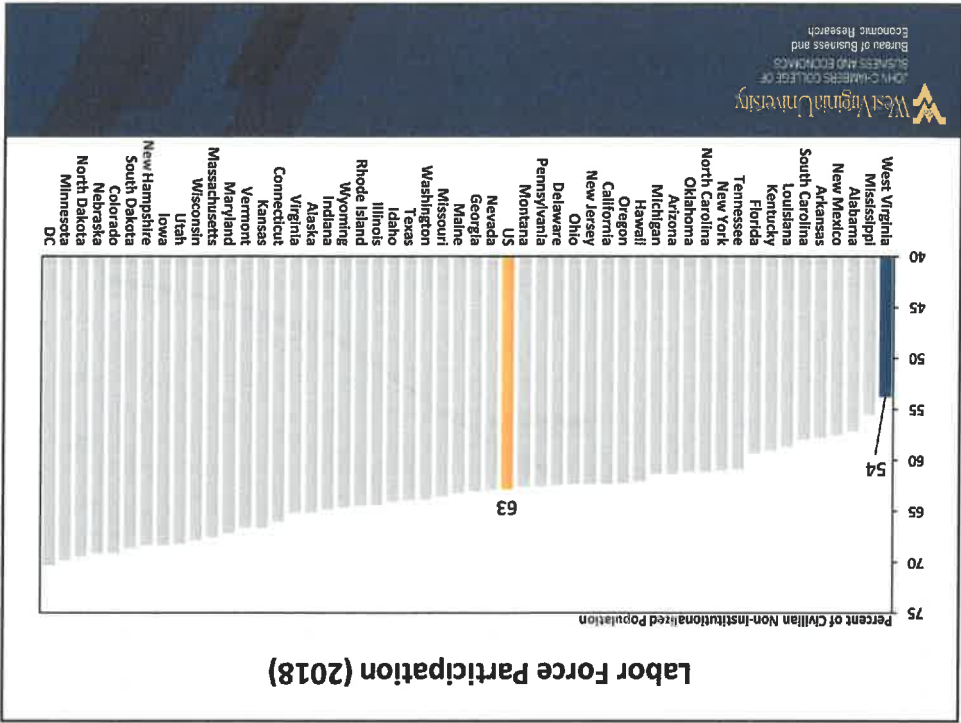


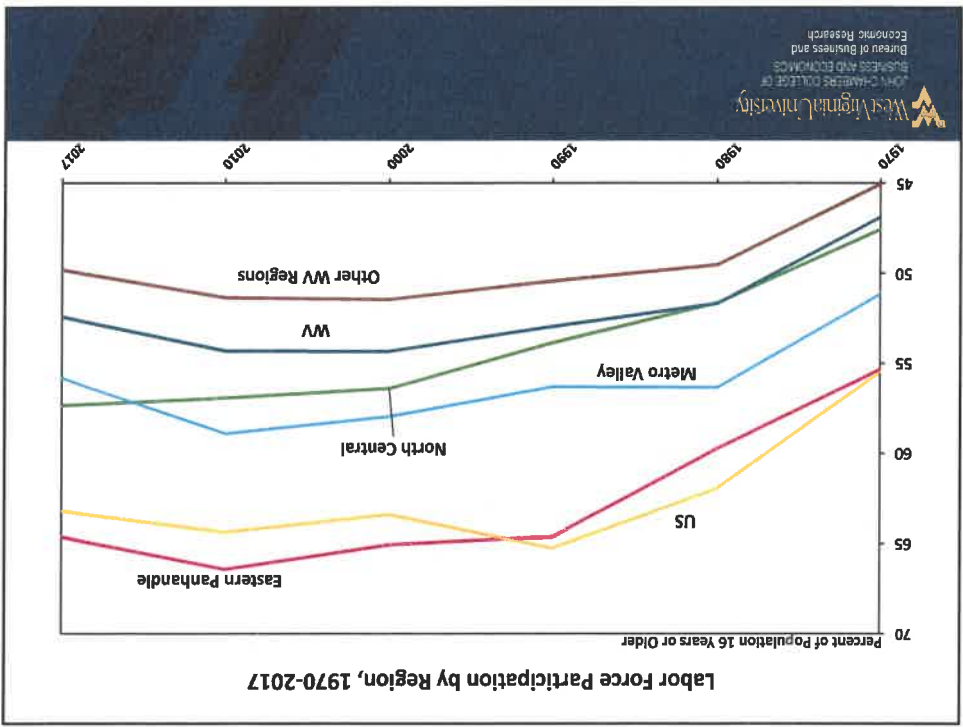
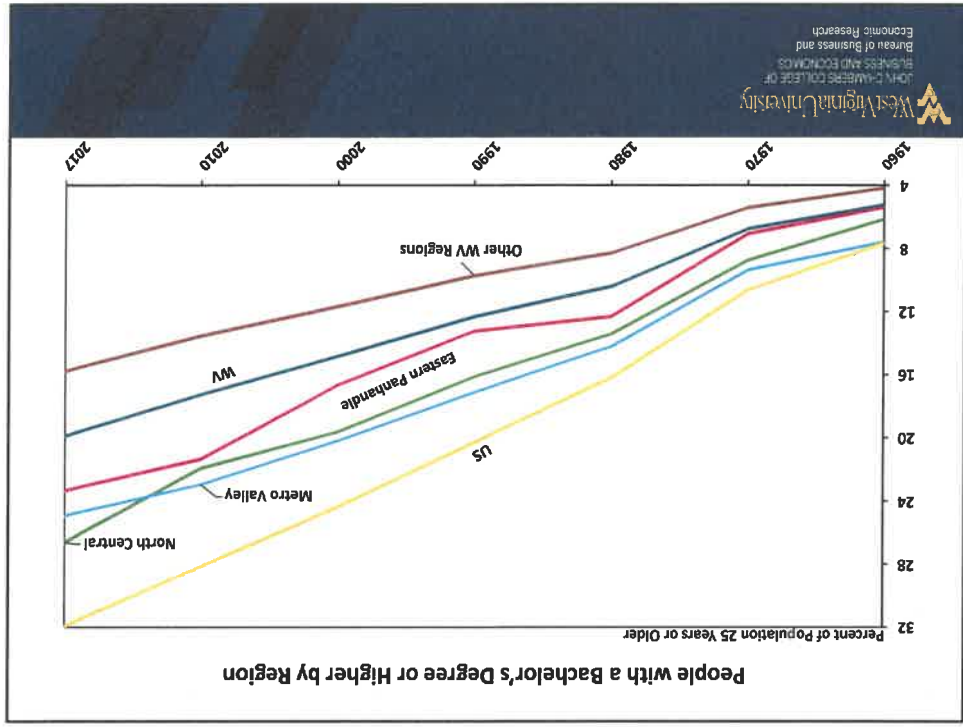


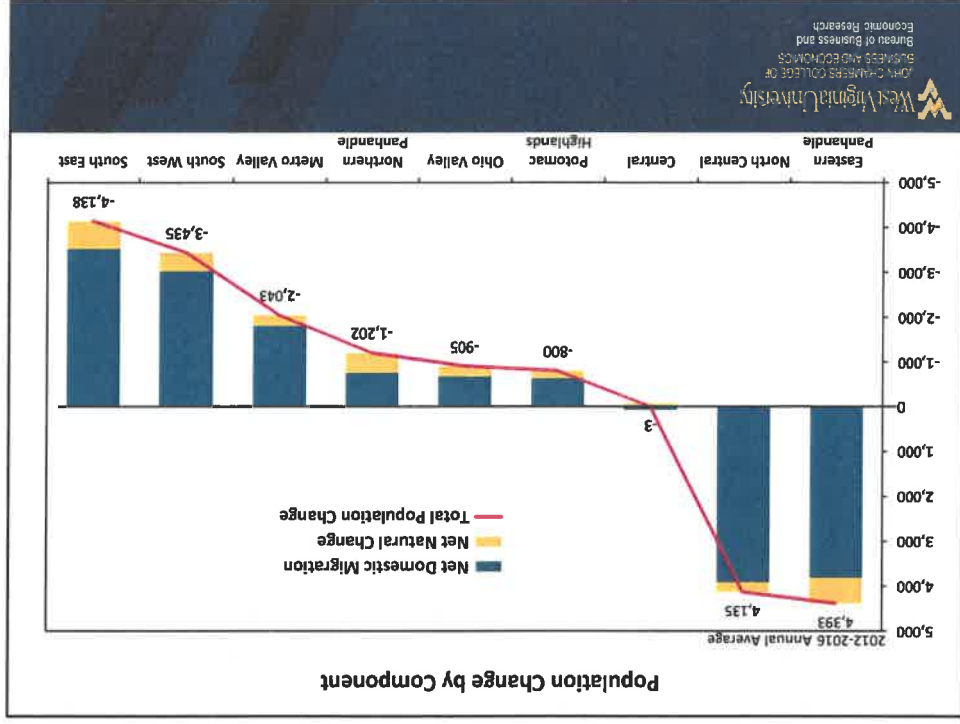
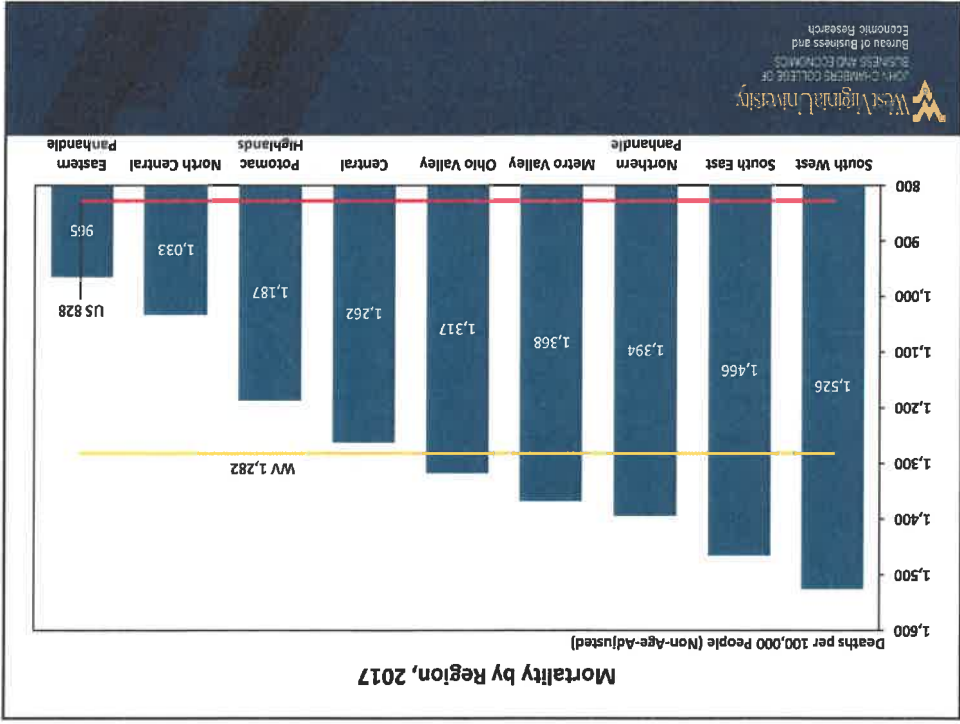
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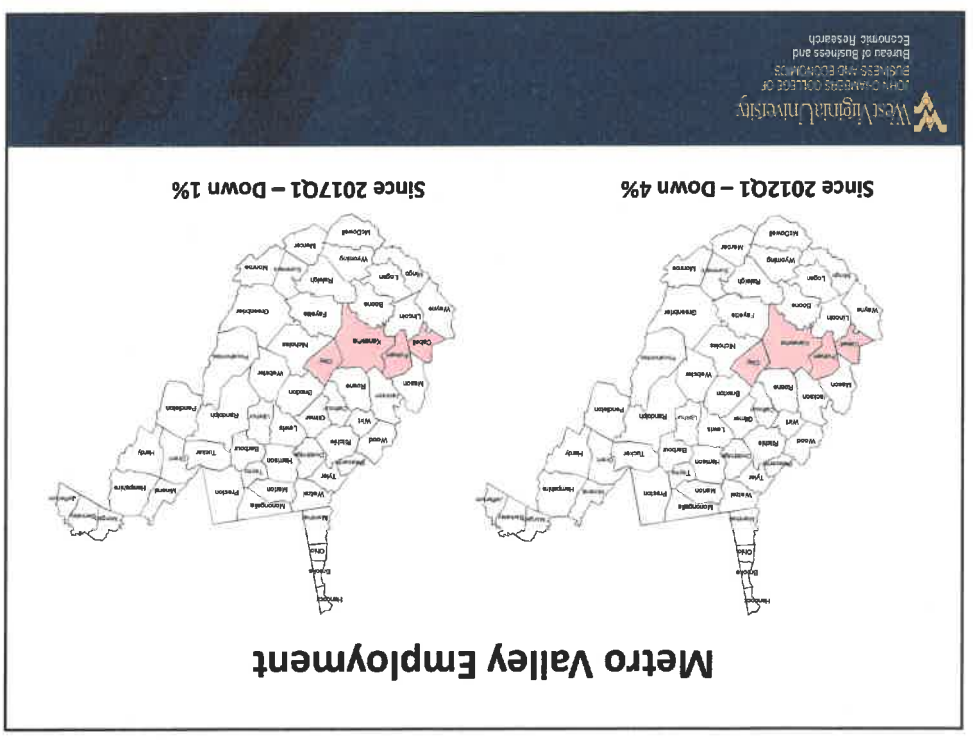
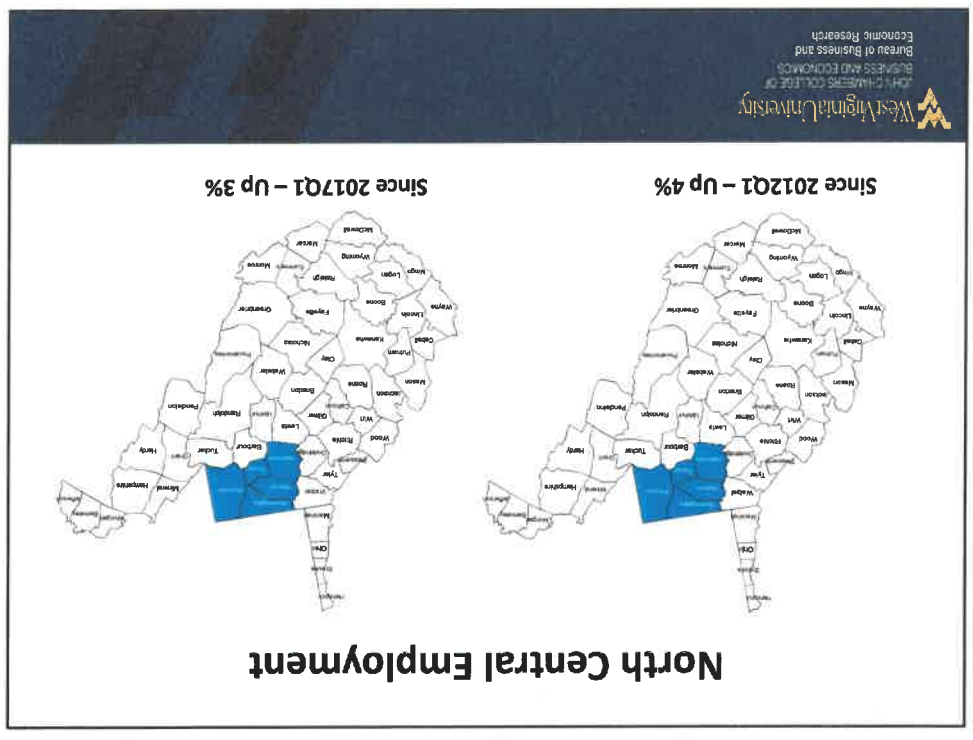
#5 - Income Growth and Composition

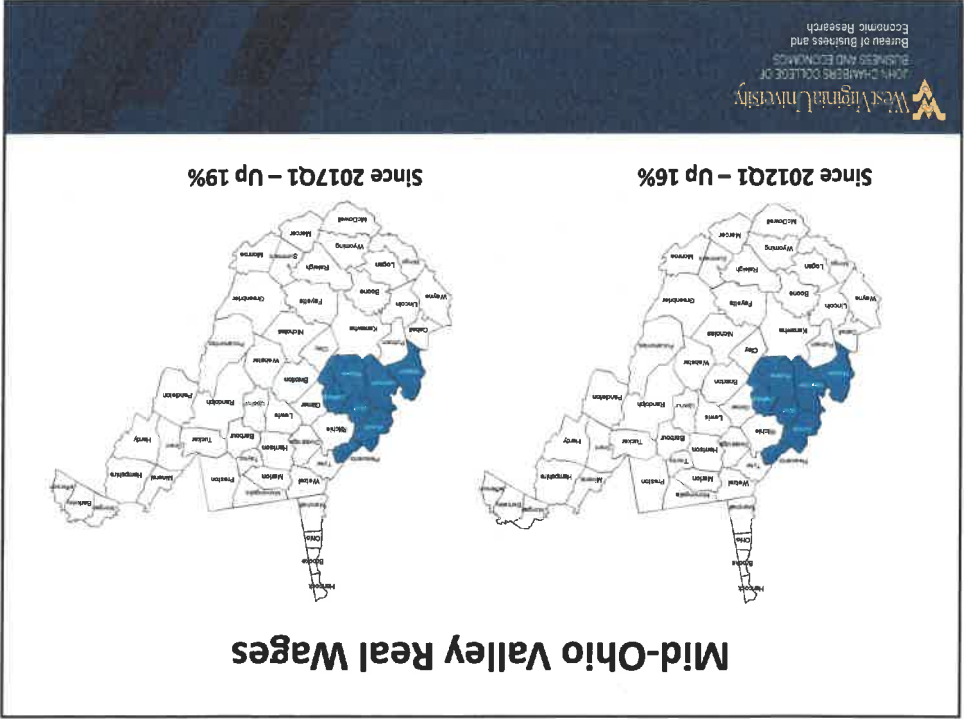












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#8 - Where Do We Go From Here?

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